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South America's Role in Global Gas – A Single Natural Gas Market in the

Future?

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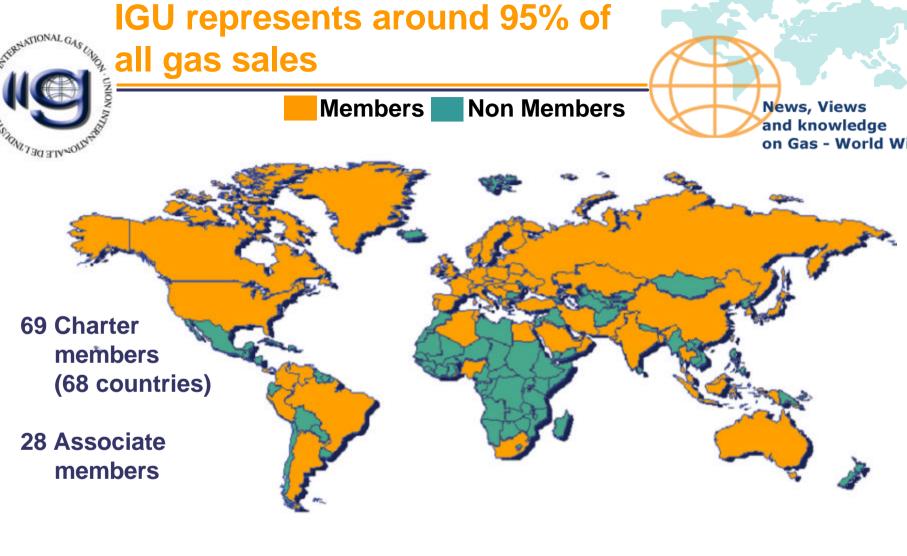


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Also gas <u>companies</u> can become members and benefit from IGU's networking possibilities



IGU serves as a spokesman for the gas industry worldwide



- Worldwide non-profit (75 years)
- Promotes technical and economic progress of the gas industry
 - e.g. The World Gas Conference every 3 years
- Organisations affiliated to IGU
 - -Foundation IGRC
 - -Gas Infrastructure (GIE)
 - -GERG
 - -IANGV / ENGVA
 - -Marcogaz
 - -Pipeline Research Council (PRCI)







The information channels of IGU are top-class



 Organises conferences and supports information exchange among members

Organiser of

- IGU Gas Research Conferences (IGRC)

Co-Sponsor of

- LNG Conferences
- Liaison with UN and other international energy organisations





IGU is the main Sponsor/Organiser of the LNG X Conferences

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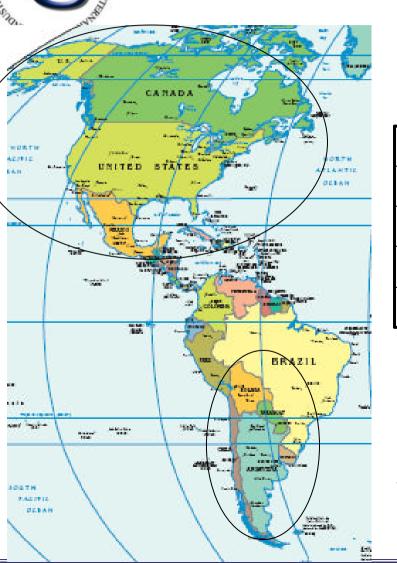


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Currently isolated local or subregional markets exist





main countries / sub-regions	Bcf / y
NAFTA	26.910
Venezuela	1.038
Colombia	243
Southern Cone	2.412

<u>Source</u>: World Oil & Gas Review 2006 (NAFTA, Venezuela, Colombia), Sec. de Energía (Arg), Ministerio de Minería e Hidrocarburos (Bolivia), EIA (Chile), MME (Brazil), DNE (Uruguay).

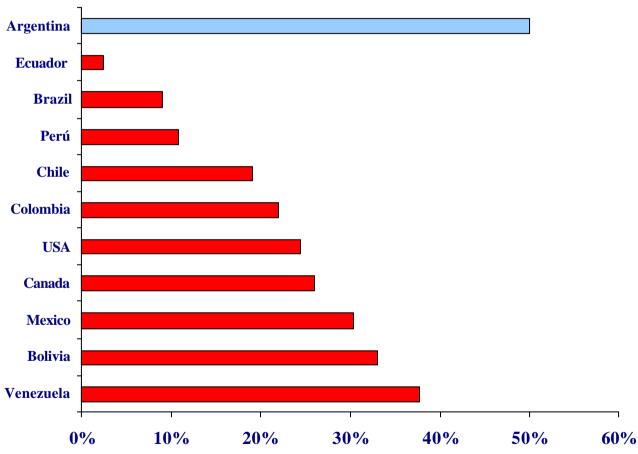




Divers levels of gas market penetration are characteristic

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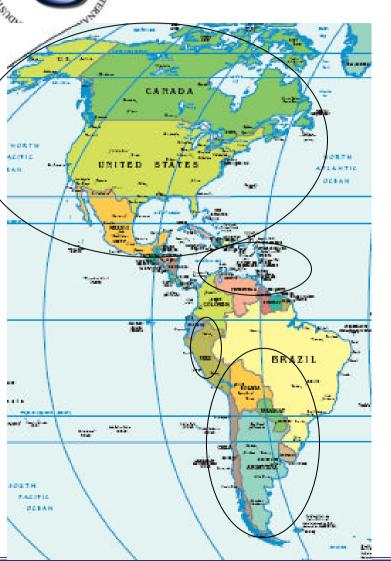
Natural Gas on Primary Energy Balance



Source: Sec. de Energía (Arg), MME (Brazil), EIA (Bolivia), CNE (Chile), BP Statistical Review of World Energy June 2006.



Different proven reserves among the regions/countries



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Main countries / subregions	Tcf (P1)
NAFTA	264
Trinidad & Tobago	19
Venezuela	149
Colombia	4
Perú	9
Southern Cone	57
Others	8

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Source: Sec. de Energía (Arg), MME (Brazil), Ministerio de Minería e Hidrocarburos (Bolivia), EIA (Chile), World Oil & Gas Review 2006 (NAFTA, T&T, Colombia, Perú, Uruguay, Paraguay, Venezuela).

International gas trade is increasing



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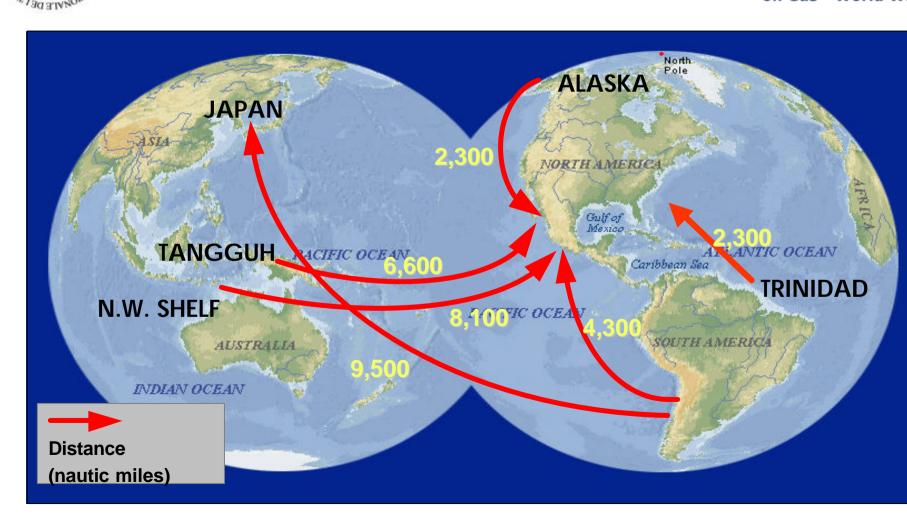
By pipeline	Bcf / year
Canada to USA	3.607
USA to Mexico	397
Bolivia to Argentina	28
Bolivia to Brazil	251
Argentina to Chile	254
Argentina to Brazil	18
Argentina to Uruguay	4
LNG	Bcf / year
USA to Japan	64
Trinidad to USA	487
Other USA imports	189
Trinidad to others	35

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Source: World Oil & Gas Review 2006

With LNG America is under way to become a player in a global market

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Gas trade will develop thanks to promising projects

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- LNG import terminals (USA and Canada)
- LNG import terminals (Mexico)
- LNG import terminals (Brazil)
- LNG import terminal (Central Chile)
- Mariscal Sucre LNG project (Venezuela)
- Camisea LNG project (Peru)
- Bolivia to Argentina NEA pipeline
- Venezuela to Mercosur pipeline
- Peru to Chile pipeline





A lot has to be done....a lot can be achieved



Conditions...

- Business climate
- Stability
- Common Regulations

...and Benefits

- Better sales conditions for consumers
- Better purchase conditions for consumers
- Access to gas for the population
- Economies of scale







Thank you for your attention!

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